

**Knox County Sheriff's Office**  
**Full-Time Rural Patrol Deputy**

The Knox County Sheriff is looking to immediately hire Law Enforcement Officers for rural patrol duties. Come join our team and culture of engaged criminal justice professionals. Our strong command team is dedicated to providing employees with inspired leadership, a positive and friendly workplace, support, encouragement and the necessary tools for success.

The salary range for this position is \$28.79 - \$31.76/hour. Pay scale service credit can be given to applicants who have proof of previous full-time law enforcement experience. We provide 1 pay step on our pay scale for every 2 years of experience, up to 9 pay steps.

The County provides an excellent benefits package to full-time employees; including, health insurance (fully paid for employee only or 75% paid for dependents), paid vacation and sick leave, retirement plan options include Maine State Retirement (25 years no age), 401, 457, and ROTH, and other voluntary benefits.

Rural Patrol Deputy duties are to patrol the rural areas of Knox County while investigating complaints, accidents, and other assigned incidents; conducting traffic stops; issuing summonses, warnings or arrests for violations of the Maine Criminal and Motor Vehicle codes; conducts criminal investigations for things such as burglary, robbery, property destruction, sex offenses, suicides, assaults, aggravated assaults, and OUI; serves and delivers warrants, summonses, subpoenas, civil process and other official papers; acts as Court Officer for the District and Superior Courts when necessary; testify in Court when needed.

Shifts are four 10-hour days per 7 day pay period (4 on - 3 off), and are awarded based on collective bargaining seniority. A company vehicle, uniforms and equipment are provided; some limitations do apply.

Applicants must have: high School education or equivalent; completion of the Maine Basic Law Enforcement Training Program is preferred but we will work with qualified applicants. In the event that an applicant has not completed the BLETP, the applicant must have at least completed the Maine Law Enforcement Pre-Service Program Phase II and be able to meet the standards established by the Maine Criminal Justice Academy Board of Trustees for attendance of the BLETP or approval of an equivalency waiver.

Interested applicants may apply by emailing their resume and cover letter to [wgalvin@knoxcountymaine.gov](mailto:wgalvin@knoxcountymaine.gov) or application forms and job descriptions can also be found on the County's website: [www.knoxcountymaine.gov](http://www.knoxcountymaine.gov).

The County reserves the right to reject any and all applications and to select the most qualified applicants.

**Knox County is an Equal Opportunity Employer**

